

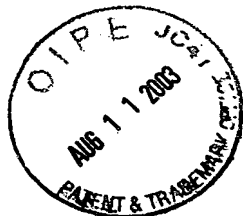
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In re Application of)	Group Art Unit: 1661
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Serial No. 10/046,490)	Wendy Haas
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Filed: October 25, 2001)	
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AMENDMENT

MS: Amendment -FEE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to an Office Action dated February 7, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claim is reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 11 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 12 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.